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## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

Will I travel overseas I realise how much of a developing nation America is becoming. I can get higher bandwidth at lower prices from multiple vendors in Indonesia in Borneo in Australia in Thailand. There is insufficient competition in America already don't further limit our choices by encouraging more consolidation. I feel fortunate to have access to a relatively small service provider that has an actual person answers the phone when I call with a question period they also provide me far better Taylor rates than AT&T used to the far lower price than Comcast. Helping small businesses the only thing that will truly improve or make make America great again

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